

From:

Latimer, Becky

Sent:

Thursday, December 19, 2019 12:59 PM

To:

Subject:

2019-290-WS

Dear Dawn Thomas,

This is to acknowledge receipt of your Letter of Protest/Comments to the Public Service Commission of South Carolina. Your Letter of Protest/Comments will be placed in the Protest File of the Docket listed below and on the Commission's Website at www.psc.sc.gov.

 <u>Docket No. 2019-290-WS</u> - Application of Blue Granite Water Company for Approval to Adjust Rate Schedules and Increase Rates

A Protestant is an individual objecting on the ground of private or public interest to the approval of an Application, Petition, Motion or other matters which the Commission may have under consideration. A Protestant may offer sworn testimony but cannot cross-examine witnesses offered by other parties.

According to the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, filing a Protest does not make you a Party of Record. A Protestant desiring to become an Intervenor (i.e., a Party of Record) in a proceeding before the Commission may file a Petition for Intervention within the time prescribed by the Commission.

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Docket No. 2019-290-WS - Application of Blue Granite Water Company for Approval to Adjust Rate Schedules and Increase Rates https://dms.psc.sc.gov/Web/Dockets/Detail/117247

If we may be of further assistance to you, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely, Becky Latimer

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Public Service Commission of South Carolina 101 Executive Center Dr., Suite 100 Columbia, SC 29210

* Required Fields

Date: * 12/19/19



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Save as PDF file and Email form to: contact@psc.sc.gov

Protestant Information:			
Name *	Dawn Thomas		
Mailing Address			
City, State Zip *	lrmo	SC	Phone *
E-mail			
1. What is your connection or interest in this case? * For example, are you a customer of the Company that is the subject of this pending proceeding? (This section must be completed. Attach additional information if necessary.)			
I am a Blue Granite customer for the past year. We reside in the neighborhood of Rose Oaks.			

2. Please give a concise statement of your protest. * (This section must be completed. Attach additional information if necessary.)

I protest the sewer rate increase. The proposed increase is unbelievable. I was told that the rate increased \$20 per month only two years ago. The proposed rate would now increase the monthly charge from \$65 a month, to over \$100 per month regardless of the size of the household. Why is this increase needed? How was the rate increase calculated? A rate increase should be ne estimated based on potential use.

3. Do you wish to make an appearance at a hearing in this proceeding, if scheduled, and offer sworn testimony? *

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No.